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ABSTRACT

~~The present invention relates to~~ In a method ~~[[for]]~~ of providing a caller with ~~a~~ an arbitrary sound pre-stored sound in an exchanger that is chosen by a called subscriber instead of a standard conventional RBT (RingBack Tone). ~~— The present method comprises: a first step, conducted by an~~ HLR (Home Location Register), when a location request message is received from a call-originating exchanger, furnishes either the call-originating exchanger or because of call connection request to a terminal, of furnishing a call-terminating exchanger with information on whether or not an RBT is to be replaced for the called terminal. ~~through a routing information request message that is sent to the call terminating exchanger; and a second step, conducted by~~ The call-originating exchanger or the call-terminating exchanger then searches, while ~~[[when]]~~ a trunk connection is established between the exchangers, request from a call originating exchanger is recognized, of searching for a sound code assigned to the called terminal based on the information furnished by the HLR, and provides the ~~providing~~ a caller with a pre-stored RBT-replacing sound associated with the found sound code as an RBT.